

**5440-91      Principal**

*The holder is authorized to serve as a school principal. An educator serving as an Assistant Principal, however named, shall hold a Principal endorsement.*

In order to qualify for this endorsement, the candidate shall demonstrate the following:

1.      A master's degree
2.      Competence in the following areas:
  - a) Fundamentals of educational administration/leadership
  - b) School law
  - c) School finance or school business management
  - d) Staff evaluation/development
  - e) Curriculum management (i.e., development/supervision/evaluation)
  - f) School/community relations
3.      Three or more years of experience as a PK-12 educator.
4.      The General Competencies for School District Administrators